

AMENDMENTS

Please amend the present application as follows:

Claims

The following is a copy of Applicant's claims that identify language being added with underlining ("__") and language being deleted with strikethrough ("____"), as is applicable:

1. (Currently amended) An apparatus for capturing digital images, comprising:
 - an image sensor including a plurality of image capture elements, each of the image capture elements configured to capture image data;
 - an input element for communicating a print size to the apparatus; ~~and~~
responsive to entry of the print size, means for enabling fewer than all of the plurality of image capture elements to capture the image data; and
means for matching image capture elements corresponding to the fewer than all of the plurality of image capture elements with an aspect ratio corresponding to the print size.
2. (Canceled)
3. (Original) The apparatus of claim 1, wherein a portion of the plurality of image capture elements is used to capture the image data and only the captured image data is presented to a user.
4. (Original) The apparatus of claim 1, wherein the print size aspect ratio corresponds to the aspect ratio of the image sensor.

5. (Previously presented) The apparatus of claim 1, further comprising means for presenting an image capture template to a user of the apparatus.

6. (Original) The apparatus of claim 5, wherein the image capture template provides a visual reference to the plurality of image capture elements that correspond to the selected print size.

7. (Currently amended) A method for adapting a print size to a captured image in a digital image capture device, the method comprising the steps of:

providing an image sensor including a plurality of image capture elements;
enabling fewer than all of the plurality of image capture elements to capture image sensor data;
matching the fewer than all of the plurality of image capture elements of the image sensor with an aspect ratio corresponding to a selected print size; and
presenting the captured image sensor data corresponding to the selected print size to a user of the image capture device.

8. (Canceled)

9. (Original) The method of claim 7, further comprising the step of capturing image sensor data using only those image capture elements corresponding to the selected print size.

10. (Original) The method of claim 7, further comprising the step of printing the image sensor data corresponding to the selected print size.

11. (Original) The method of claim 7, further comprising the steps of:
presenting the image sensor data to a user of the image capture device; and
superimposing an image capture template over the image sensor data, the image capture template providing a visual reference on a display.
12. (Original) The method of claim 11, wherein the visual reference corresponds to the image sensor data.
13. (Previously presented) The method of claim 11, wherein the image capture template is one of fixed and variable.
14. (Canceled)
15. (Original) The method of claim 11, wherein a plurality of image capture templates are made available to a user of the image capture device.

16. (Currently amended) A computer readable medium having a program for adapting a print size to a captured image in a digital image capture device, the program including logic for performing the steps of:

enabling fewer than all of a plurality of image capture elements of an image sensor to capture image data;

matching the fewer than all of a the plurality of image capture elements of an the image sensor with an aspect ratio corresponding to a selected print size; and

presenting the captured image sensor data corresponding to the selected print size to a user of the image capture device.

17. (Canceled)

18. (Original) The program of claim 16, further comprising logic for performing the step of capturing image sensor data using only those image capture elements associated with the image sensor that correspond to the selected print size.

19. (Original) The program of claim 16, further comprising logic for performing the step of printing the image sensor data corresponding to the selected print size.

20. (Original) The program of claim 16, further comprising logic for performing the steps of:

presenting the image sensor data to a user of the image capture device; and
superimposing an image capture template over the image sensor data, the image capture template providing a visual reference on a display.

21. (Original) The program of claim 20, wherein the visual reference corresponds to the image sensor data.
22. (Previously presented) The program of claim 20, wherein the image capture template is one of fixed and variable.
23. (Canceled)
24. (Previously presented) The program of claim 20, further comprising logic configured to present a user interface to enable entry of the print size by the user before image capture.
25. (Canceled)
26. (Previously presented) The method of claim 7, further comprising the step of presenting a user interface to enable entry of the print size by the user before image capture.
27. (Previously presented) The program of claim 16, further comprising logic configured to present a user interface to enable entry of the print size by the user before image capture.